

Application Guidelines

All statewide organizations may apply. It is recommended that all groups requesting reservations provide the following with their application:

- A schedule of programmed activities
- Inclusive dates for arrival and departure
- Anticipated number of attendees

In turn, the Center will review applications, provide rules and restrictions and confirm those requests that comply with criteria for use of the center.

The application can be downloaded from the department's website at:
<http://www.louisianaschools.net>

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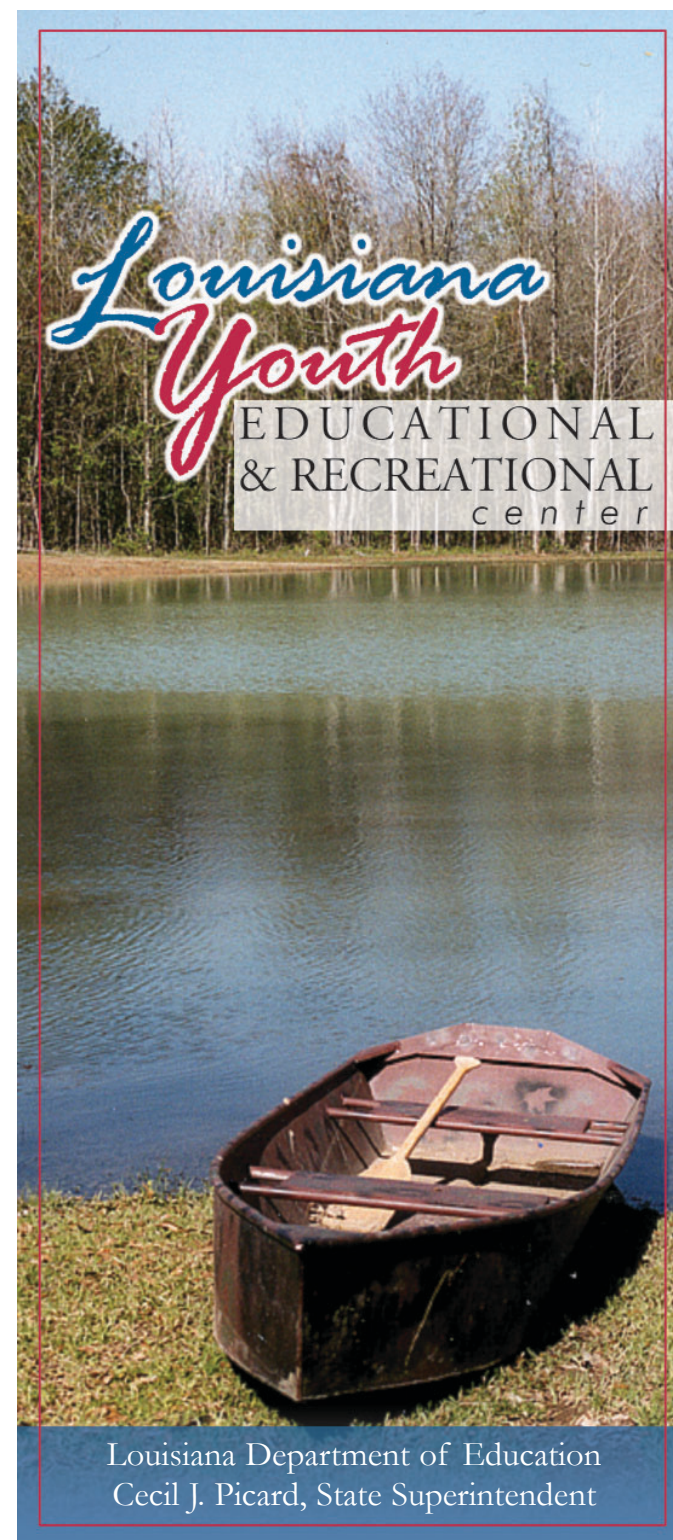
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Louisiana Youth

EDUCATIONAL & RECREATIONAL center

The Louisiana Youth Educational Recreational Center is owned and operated by the Louisiana Department of Education. Catering primarily to youth groups, business associations and professional associations, the Center offers excellent facilities for groups of 30 to 272.

Amenities

- 17 air-conditioned/heated cottages, each with full bath. Each cottage was recently renovated and can accommodate sixteen persons. Two are designed to handle special needs requirements.
- Assembly Building: seating capacity for 60 persons and 4 separate classrooms (10-15 person capacity)

- Auditorium with stage: seating capacity for 250 persons
- Pavilion
- Basketball court
- Game room
- Dining Hall: seating capacity for 250 persons; nutritious meals; kitchen/coolers
- Olympic-sized swimming pool
- Football, volleyball and softball fields
- Nature trails
- Fishing pond

Services

The Center accommodates 1-3 day seminars, workshops, conferences and weekly retreats or camps. The Center provides a full-time Director, certified lifeguard, food service and maintenance of all equipment and facilities.

Location

The Center is located on 160 acres along Highway 115 between Marksville and Bunkie in the Bay Hills section of Avoyelles Parish. It is open year round, including holidays.



Rates

Rates are negotiable depending on the number of days, size of group and whether meals will be served.

